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Raw Sequence Listing Error Summary

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ERROR DETECTED	SUGGESTED CORRECTION SERIAL NUMBER: 101799,320
ATTN: NEW RULES CASES: PLEASE DISREGARD ENGLISH "ALPHA" HEADERS, WHICH WERE INSERTED BY PTO SOFTWARE	
Wrapped Nucleics Wrapped Aminos	The number/text at the end of each line "wrapped" down to the next line. This may occur if your file was retrieved in a word processor after creating it. Please adjust your right margin to .3; this will prevent "wrapping."
2Invalid Line Length	The rules require that a line not exceed 72 characters in length. This includes white spaces.
3Misaligned Amino Numbering	The numbering under each 5th amino acid is misaligned. Do not use tab codes between numbers; use space characters, instead.
4Non-ASCII	The submitted file was not saved in ASCII(DOS) text, as required by the Sequence Rules. Please ensure your subsequent submission is saved in ASCII text.
SVariable Length	Sequence(s) contain n's or Xaa's representing more than one residue. Per Sequence Rules, each n or Xaa can only represent a single residue. Please present the maximum number of each residue having variable length and indicate in the <220>-<223> section that some may be missing.
6Patentin 2.0 "bug"	A "bug" in PatentIn version 2.0 has caused the <220>-<223> section to be missing from amino acid sequences(s) Normally, PatentIn would automatically generate this section from the previously coded nucleic acid sequence. Please manually copy the relevant <220>-<223> section to the subsequent amino acid sequence. This applies to the mandatory <220>-<223> sections for Artificial or Unknown sequences.
7Skipped Sequences (OLD RULES)	Sequence(s) missing. If intentional, please insert the following lines for each skipped sequence: (2) INFORMATION FOR SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown) (i) SEQUENCE CHARACTERISTICS: (Do not insert any subheadings under this heading) (xi) SEQUENCE DESCRIPTION:SEQ ID NO:X: (insert SEQ ID NO where "X" is shown) This sequence is intentionally skipped
	Please also adjust the "(ii) NUMBER OF SEQUENCES:" response to include the skipped sequences.
8Skipped Sequences (NEW RULES)	Sequence(s) missing. If intentional, please insert the following lines for each skipped sequence. <210> sequence id number <400> sequence id number 000
9Use of n's or Xaa's (NEW RULES)	Use of n's and/or Xaa's have been detected in the Sequence Listing. Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, use of <220>-<223> is MANDATORY if n's or Xaa's are present. In <220> to <223> section, please explain location of n or Xaa, and which residue n or Xaa represents.
10Invalid <213> Response	Per 1.823 of Sequence Rules, the only valid <213> responses are: Unknown, Artificial Sequence, or scientific name (Genus/species). <220>-<223> section is required when <213> response is Unknown or is Artificial Sequence
Use of <220>	Sequence(s) missing the <220> "Feature" and associated numeric identifiers and responses. Use of <220> to <223> is MANDATORY if <213> "Organism" response is "Artificial Sequence" or "Unknown." Please explain source of genetic material in <220> to <223> section. (See "Federal Register," 06/01/1998, Vol. 63, No. 104, pp. 29631-32) (Sec. 1.823 of Sequence Rules)
Patentin 2.0 bug"	Please do not use "Copy to Disk" function of Patentin version 2.0. This causes a corrupted file, resulting in missing mandatory numeric identifiers and responses (as indicated on raw sequence listing). Instead, please use "File Manager" or any other manual means to copy file to floppy disk.
13 Misuse of n/Xaa	"n" can only represent a single nucleotide; "Xaa" can only represent a single amino acid

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             IGARI, Yasutaka
              HATA, Yoshio
              YAMAMOTO, Kazumichi
      8 <120> TITLE OF INVENTION: Sustained-Release Composition, Method of its Preparation and
Use Thereof
     10 <130> FILE REFERENCE: 2500US1P
W--> 11 <140> CURRENT APPLICATION NUMBER: 10/799,320
     12 <141> CURRENT FILING DATE: 2004-03-12
     15 <150> PRIOR APPLICATION NUMBER: 09/582,926
     16 <151> PRIOR FILING DATE: 2000-07-05
     18 <150> PRIOR APPLICATION NUMBER: PCT/JP99/00086
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     22 <151> PRIOR FILING DATE: 1998-01-16
     24 <160> NUMBER OF SEQ ID NOS: 5
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                                                            Corrected Diskette Needed
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                                                                    XPIs see item
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W--> 242 Kaa Pro His Trp Ser Tyr Xaa Leu Arg Pro Xaa 243 1 5 10

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Seq#:1; Line(s) 8

Invalid <213> Response:

Use of "Artificial" only as "<213> Organism" response is incomplete, per 1.823(b) of New Sequence Rules. Valid response is Artificial Sequence.

Seq#:1,2,3,4,5

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